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GERMANY ASKS FRANCE TO OPEN DIRECT PARLEYS

Envoy Sent to Paris for Conference With Premier Poloncaro.

PREMIER IS CAUTIOUS

Before Committing Government to Any New Policy He Asks Envoy to Submit Proposals in Writing; Repudiations Barred Most Emphatically.

By United Press.

PARIS, Dec. 15.—The first stop toward opening direct Franco-German conferences regarding the Ruhr and Rhineland situation was taken today when a German emissary, Herr Von Hoesch, visited Premier Poloncaro at 9:30 A. M.

Von Hoesch requested that negotiations to facilitate accord reached regarding resumption of industry in the Ruhr be opened. Poloncaro, who received the German somewhat hesitatingly and with reservations, did not at once reply. He requested that the German envoy submit his suggestions in writing. When this is done Poloncaro will reply in writing.

Von Hoesch asked Poloncaro if he was not ready to negotiate concerning all outstanding Franco-German questions. The premier replied that France certainly did not intend to negotiate regarding Germany's reparations debt since that was matter that came within the jurisdiction of the Reparations Commission. Poloncaro asked a number of pointed questions, such as: "What did Germany understand by the word 'negotiations'?" and "Did she propose that they would be informal or formal?"

BRUSSELS, Dec. 15.—The German charge de affairs here requested an interview with Foreign Minister Jules Parrot to take place simultaneously with the visit of Herr Von Hoesch to Premier Poloncaro at Paris. It is understood Germany is asking direct negotiations with Belgium regarding Ruhr and Rhineland accord.

NEGRO SLAYER OF THREE KILLED BY MACHINE-GUN FIRE

By United Press.

DREW, Miss., Dec. 15.—Joe Pullen, a negro, who shot and killed three white men and wounded nine others, died from machine-gun bullet wounds while lying in a street in Drew at 2 o'clock this morning while a large crowd milled about threatening to burn him.

Pullen was trapped at midnight in a ditch after a 15-hour chase. Machine gun fire was turned onto an improvised fortress in the ditch where he made his stand. Many bullets struck him. When members of the posse reached him he was still alive. He was dragged to Drew and left dying in a street near the depot where a large crowd of curious gathered. He expired before threats made by the crowd were carried out.

Those killed by Pullen were W. T. Sanders, a planter, who employed the negro; H. C. Hens, and R. L. Mathwin. All of the dead and wounded except Sanders were members of a posse chasing him. Sanders was shot when he attempted to collect rent from Pullen.

Crossing Watchman Bruised When Hit By Passing Auto

Albert Kuhns of Poplar Grove, night watchman at the Pennsylvania railroad crossing near Fourth street, West Side, was badly bruised Thursday evening when struck by a passing automobile. He was taken to his home and is not expected to be able to work for about a week.

He was struck by a machine driven by Ernest Ridgeway of Broad Ford. The machine was running east and because of the snow falling at that hour, about 6:46 o'clock, the driver did not see Kuhns ahead of him. The watchman had been cleaning off the sidewalk on the north side of the street and was returning to his duty when hit by the automobile.

Mrs. George F. Stouffer Breaks Wrist in Fall

Mrs. George F. Stouffer of East Fairview avenue suffered a bad fracture of the left wrist Wednesday afternoon when she fell down a flight of stairs at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Reagan of South Eighth street, Greenwood. Mrs. Stouffer had been attending a meeting of the program committee of the Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian Church and was just ready to start home when she met with the accident.

Dr. Burgess at Scranton. SCRANTON, Dec. 15.—Rev. Dr. W. B. Burgess, president of the Pittsburgh Synod, will speak at St. Paul's Lutheran Church Sunday evening. The service will begin at 7:30 p.m.

LOST POCKETBOOK RETURNED TO WOMAN

CONNELLSVILLE, Dec. 15.—White Mrs. Albert Heinbaugh of near Jersey Church was coming to town yesterday who lost her pocketbook containing \$16.10. It was found by a tramp along the Baltimore & Ohio tracks below town and delivered to the Baltimore & Ohio station where she recovered it.

MEXICAN FEDERALS WIN AND LOSE IN CLASHES WITH REBELS

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15.—Federal forces defeated the rebels in a battle in the east today while eight battalions with artillery and machine guns advanced against General Estrada in the west. Insurgents under Colonel Trevino were near at Etilia in the state of Puebla and routed after severe fighting. In the west, where the federal plan is to crush Estrada before turning on the rebels advancing from Vera Cruz, Obregon's troops approached Chimalhuaca which they expected to take before the end of the week.

VERA CRUZ, Dec. 15.—The battle of the west has begun, according to reports to Adolfo De La Huerta's headquarters. General Estrada's forces, augmented by four regiments which deserted Obregon, bringing three batteries and 10 airplanes to the rebels, were in contact with advancing federals at Colima. In the east, Obregon's troops are evacuating Puebla. The general commanding the federals surrendered at the moment when he was expected to defend the city.

Helen Bell Rush To Sing for WEAF Next Wednesday

New Helen Bell Rush will be one of the artists contributing the radio broadcasting program at WEAF next Wednesday evening, December 19. In the official program issued by the broadcasting department of the American Telephone & Telegraph Company, which operates this station, the following announcement is made:

"Helen Bell Rush, the young American lyric coloratura soprano, while attention, will broadcast another recital through WEAF. She was one of the artists selected to take part in the brilliant program which inaugurated WEAF's new studios last spring. Miss Rush's voice is of unusual range and delicacy of expression."

"Her program she will sing a composition by Herbert Spencer, 'Kiss Me With Your Eyes,' which the composer dedicated to her. She will also introduce another of his compositions, 'The Rose of Castile,' a most delightful melody."

110th to Observe Semi-Centenary Soon; Committee Named

Dr. J. L. Junk has returned from Washington, Pa., where he attended a meeting of the officers of the 110th Infantry, held Thursday. Busness was discussed in the afternoon, followed then by a banquet in the evening.

Dr. Junk talked on the requirements and examination of recruits.

A committee was appointed to make plans for the 50th anniversary of the 110th. Dr. L. P. McCormick of this city was one of the officers named on the committee.

South American Towns Destroyed By Earth Shocks

BOGOTA, Colombia, Dec. 15.—An earthquake today destroyed the towns of Cariño San Juan and Cumbal on the frontier between Ecuador and Colombia and damaged three other towns.

Several lives were lost according to reports.

The earthquake was of eight seconds' duration.

No Trace of Swindler.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Two avenues of escape which Leo Koratz, Chicago's master swindler, was believed to have had in his flight from the United States have been thoroughly investigated by the police and found to lead nowhere. Koratz, swindled his family, friends and scores of Chicago business men out of more than \$10,000 through the medium of worthless oil stocks.

Ralph Baslinger Improves.

Ralph Baslinger, who was injured a few days ago when the motorcycle on which he was riding collided with an automobile near Poplar Grove, is getting along nicely at the Connellsville State Hospital.

Undergone Operation.

Bryan Keller of East Crawford avenue underwent an operation at the Connellsville State Hospital this morning.

No Arrests Made.

There was no police court this morning, no arrests being made over night.

Poor Aim Saves Allison Hold-Up Man From Death

Guy Bailey fires five shots at Joe Gutch, who is taken to hospital in dead wagon.

Reports of another murder in the south end of the county—at Allison—last night proved to be false. There was trouble, however, and only the poor aim of a man with a gun prevented a fatality.

Joe Gutch, 33, is at the Brownsville General Hospital with a slight wound in the arm. Joe went to the home of Guy Bailey last night and demanded something to eat, then money. He enforced the demand for money with a gun and when Bailey gave him \$20 rapped his victim over the head with the weapon. Bailey collapsed and Joe went into the house to ransack it.

Bailey soon recovered, secured a shotgun and waited for Joe to emerge. Then he fired five shots at close range but all went wide but one.

A call was sent to a Brownsville undertaker in the belief that Joe had been killed. The undertaker responded and took Joe to the hospital in the dead wagon.

Dr. Donehoo Refuses To Resign Office at Request of Pinchot

By United Press.

HARRISBURG, Dec. 15.—Governor Pinchot may be unable to effect the retirement of Dr. George P. Donohoo, state librarian, before the State Supreme Court passes on the constitutionality of the administration code.

Dr. Donohoo has refused to resign notwithstanding announcement by the governor that Miss Anna MacDonald has been made "acting librarian."

The issue between the governor and the librarian was disclosed today by legal authorities who construed the code as superintendant of public instruction.

"I did not know of the code," said Dr. Bechtel, superintendent of public instruction. "I did not know of this feature of the code until today," he said.

Motor Licenses For 1923 Good Until February 1

By United Press.

HARRISBURG, Dec. 15.—The State Highway Department today set February 1, 1924, as the date when automobile licenses for the new year must be carried. An extension of one month was granted in order that no hardships may be felt by motorists who have failed to receive their tags through no fault of their own.

Approximately 60,000 applications for titles under the new law have not been filed, taking into consideration the number of vehicles registered to date—1,000,000 and the number of title applications received, 1,050,000.

Over 200,000 tags for 1924 have been issued, it was stated, leaving approximately 900,000 to be sent out from titles now on file.

Distribution by the first of the year would be impracticable, due to the fact that all are sent by mail and at this time of the year the post offices are congested with Christmas packages.

Two-Year Pittsburg Plus Investigation By F. T. C. Completed

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The Federal Trade Commission today completed its two-year investigation of the United States Steel Corporation's "Pittsburgh plus" method of pricing steel.

The final hearing in the proceedings was concluded here today with the testimony of H. G. White, traffic expert of the commission. The case is now advanced to the stage of argument by counsel for the corporation and the commission.

The record in the case comprises 20,000 pages of verbal testimony and 30,000 pages of exhibits.

LaFollette Takes Active Control of Progressive Bloc

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Senator LaFollette took over active control of his Progressive bloc in the Senate which is fighting against Senator Cummins for re-election as chairman of the Interstate Commerce Committee.

LaFollette, in his first formal statement, named Cummins as a symbol of reactionary rail legislation and urged the election of either Senators Howell or Conover.

Road Booster Dinner Tonight At Ohiopyle

Guy Bailey fires five shots at Joe Gutch, who is taken to hospital in dead wagon.

Opening of the Ohiopyle Farming Inn will be celebrated at dinner at the Ohiopyle House tonight at 8 o'clock. At the same time those in attendance will get behind the movement to have completed the improvement of the road from Connellsville to Ohiopyle.

Invitations have been sent to upwards of 75 persons in the region to attend. Among the speakers will be Senator S. A. Kendall and Senator Guy W. Brown. Representative J. B. Henderson of Connellsville is among those invited to be present.

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HUNDRED BILLION MARKS POSTAGE ON LETTER FROM GERMANY

A letter from Germany posted through the Connellsville Post office this morning, it carried five stamps, each of the denomination of 20,000,000,000 marks.

PENSIONS AND

INCREASES FOR WAR VETERANS

During the past month Congressman S. A. Kendall has been successful in securing pensions and increases for the following named persons.

John W. Corrigan of Kregar, increases from \$12 to \$15 per month, effective September 26, 1923.

George W. Stick of Meyersdale, increase to \$72 per month, dating from September 22, 1923.

John Berkey of Windber, increase to \$77 per month, from October 31, 1923.

Jacob J. Stern of Somerset, increase to \$72 per month from May 1, 1920, to March 15, 1921, and will draw about \$232 back pension.

Broadway Christopher of Adair, allowed \$72 per month from November 5, 1923.

James E. Nickel of Connellsville, granted pension at the rate of \$72 per month, effective August 31, 1923.

Andrew J. Colborn of Harmarville, allowed \$72 per month, from October 19, 1923, giving him back pension of \$44.

Mrs. Anna M. Shank, widow of Charles Shank of Somersett, granted pension at the rate of \$30 per month from November 19, 1923.

Andrea A. Calhoun of Connellsville, pension increased from \$12 to \$15 per month, effective November 7, 1923.

William Templeton of Connellsville, granted increase of pension from \$12 to \$15 per month dating from November 7, 1923.

The defense closed its case with the testimony of character witnesses. A dozen or more residents of the Lemont-Goolsby vicinity testified that had known the defendant for 50 to 50 years and that aside from this one occasion his reputation had been above reproach.

More than a dozen cases, mostly liquor violations, were disposed of yesterday before Judge J. C. Work and E. H. Rappert.

After deliberating for more than three hours a jury before Judge J. C. Work convicted Doc Greaves, colored.

SO

C. I. C. CLUB GIVES

LARGE AND CHARMING DANCE

A social function of charming appearance was a large and delightful dance given last night in Maccabees Hall by the C. I. C. Club, composed of girl members of the younger social set. The dance was the first ever given by the club, and was attended by approximately one hundred couples. The committee was composed of Misses Dorothy Berg, Helen McCormick, Katherine Daugherty, Lois Detwiler, Carrie Jade Marietta, Mary Keay and Susanna Lyon. Patrons and patrons were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stumbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Peterson, Misses Francis Daugherty, Myra Conway, Helen Clough and Helen Adams, H. Dana Wright, Charles Wine, Jack Leekhard and John Noble. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion, a color scheme of red and black predominating. The windows were draped with crepe paper and streamers of the same material hung from hoops which adorned the eight lights. The lights were also shaded with red and black. Arranged on one side of the wall was a black background on which the letters C. I. C. made of red crepe paper, were arranged. Dancing commenced at 8:30 o'clock. Punch was served throughout the evening. Out-of-town guests were from Uniontown, Scottdale, Latrobe, Mount Pleasant, Dawson and Dunbar.

Beneath Tree.

Mrs. C. C. Gallagher, Mrs. J. W. Mitchell and Mrs. John Kiferle gave a successful tea that night at Mrs. Gallagher's home in East Apple street for the benefit of the Carrie Kuyon Auxiliary to the Winona Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist Episcopal Church. About twenty-five persons were in attendance. An admission was charged and quite a sum was realized. Music by a talking machine and two readings by Mrs. James Conwill were enjoyed. Lunch was served about six o'clock. Christmas decorations prevailed.

To Face Invitations.

The Ugly Fraternity will issue invitations early next week for its first annual Christmas matinee dance, to be held on the afternoon of December 23, in the State Armory. The committee is now preparing the invitations for the ball. This group includes David Worsham, James D. Cypher, James M. Driscoll, George Beaton, Henry Opperman and Edward Lockamy.

Gleaners Class Names Officers.

The Gleaners Class of the church of the Brethren met Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Friend in Crawford Avenue, West Side, and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, A. G. Sleighter; vice-president, Jessie Ridge-way; secretary and treasurer, A. R. Price; teacher, Hor. J. A. Buffenbarger. Refreshments were served.

Last Smoker 1928.

The final N. E. L. A. smoker of the 1928 season of the Coke Region Division, West Penn Section, will be held on Monday evening, December 17, at the Kiwanis Club room in the Carnegie Library. A big "pay-out of cash" will be prepared and there will be special entertainment.

W. C. T. U. No. 2.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union No. 2 will meet Monday night at the home of Mrs. Anna Cunningham in East Washington Avenue instead of Union No. 1 as previously announced. Plans have been made for the observance of the fourth anniversary of national prohibition on January 16.

Mrs. Cypher Honored.

A surprise miscellaneous shower in honor of Mrs. James L. Cypher, a recent bride, was held in connection with a meeting of the Pottsville Sewing Club held last night at the home of Miss Minerva Reiter at Poplar Grove. About twenty-five members and guests were in attendance. Fancywork was the amusement, followed by dainty refreshments. Mrs. Typer, who was formerly Miss Lydia Sparks, received many beautiful and useful gifts. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. S. M.

Daily Fashion Hints



CHILD'S DRESS

She is ready to meet good Santa in her prettiest play frock of natural pongee that is trimmed with cherry red silk bands. The square neckline and drop shoulders are attractive. A little ruffle of pleated chiffon gives the frock the wearer a greater sense of dignity and "dressed-upness." Fancy blanket stitching joins trimming to the frock.

Kuklunian.

J. B. Clark Meeks.

Mrs. Ida Chambers delightfully entertained the J. B. Club last night at her home in East Crawford Avenue. Nineteen members were present. Music was the amusement and later in the evening dainty refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Leo Pott in Jefferson street.

Beginion-Schindell.

Lewis Francis Schindell and Hazel Angeline Beguin, both of Meyersdale, were honored to visit at Cumberland.

Democracy Lodge Anniversary.

Democracy Lodge No. 692, L. A. in E. R. T., will meet Monday evening at 7 o'clock in Union Hall at Dawson. After the business meeting a chicken dinner will be served in observance of the fifth anniversary of the lodge. Officers will be installed.

Twelfth Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cooper of Franklin township celebrated their twelfth wedding anniversary at their home today. About 250 guests were present for dinner served by Mrs. Cooper.

Christmas Dance.

Invitations have been issued for the annual Christmas dance of the Grousebank Country Club to be held on Christmas night. Open House will prevail on New Year's day when the annual New Year reception will be held. Invitations for the annual New Year hop to be held on Monday evening, December 31, are expected to be issued next week.

Summit Class Meets.

The Young Men's Bible Class of the Summit Methodist Protestant Church met last night in the social room for its regular business session. Ninety-five per cent of the members were in attendance. After business a meal was served of all the good things of the season. Charles W. Young, the new teacher of the class ever since the church was built,

Fire in Pool Room.

A fire in a pool room in North Pittsburg street, operated by John Madieon, slightly damaged the ceiling this morning. It was extinguished by the fire department with hand chemical tanks.

MINISTERS AND WIVES

ENTHUSIASTIC BUSINESS

Members of the Connellsville Ministerial Association and their wives, numbering twenty, partook of a chicken dinner at the Christian Church Friday evening, contributions to Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Russell, who are leaving Connellsville for Texas, where the former will become pastor of the Presbyterian Church. After dinner there were felicitations by the brother ministers and the singing of old-time songs. Dr. Bennett W. Thompson was master of ceremonies in behalf of the association. Rev. J. M. Johnston presented Rev. and Mrs. Russell with a silver cream and sugar set. Christmas decorations were used on the table. The service was by the Woman's Missionary Society.

SAGACITY OF BLACK BEAR

Guide Called "John Bull" Tells Stories of the Animal's Marvelous Cunning.

One of the guides for the Red River expedition of 1852 called "John Bull" was a famous bear hunter and regaled the officers with many stories. One of the officers in his journal says that the guide's statements were repeated to him by several Indians, in whose vicinity he had much confidence. He adds: "I have no doubt they are strictly true."

The guide said the black bear had greater sagacity than almost any other quadruped, says Faunce Rochester.

Before making a bed the bear always goes several hundred yards with the wind, the officers were told, "at a distance from his track." Any enemy approaching along his track must come with the wind and be detected by the animal's keen nose.

When a black bear hides in a den in earth or rock and a hunter tries to smoke him out the bear will not rush to be shot, but, masked from view by the smoke, will come as far as the smoldering fire, put it out with his paws and then return to his hiding place.

John, it must be admitted, rather weakened his case when he described the behavior of the bear in being pursued by a hunter into a cave.

The hunter, in addition to his rifle, of course carried a torch. Instead of being a very dangerous adventure for the hunter, John insisted the bear, on beholding the light, would sit upright and hold his paws over his face and eyes and remain motionless so long as the torch burned. Without risk, the hunter approached close and caught the foolish fellow.

Why a hunter should bother to "smoke" out the bear when he can so conveniently crawl into the hole and kill him without risk John is not recorded. At any rate—Adventure Magazine.

AT THE MAISON HOGRELLE

Restaurant and Grocery Near Camp Coquelin in Brittany Was Transformed by Doughboys.

Near Camp Coquelin in Brittany was the town of Guer. On the outskirts of the town was a combination restaurant and a very store kept by the wife of a cook.

When the first Americans came to the camp it was impossible to get a supper of broiled chicken, with all the fixings, done in the real French style over an open fire of brush, for 5 francs (about \$1. American). Two young girls, Vivienne and Germaine, assisted in serving the patrons, says Leonard E. Nelson. Vivienne was inclined to be a little fleshy, and Germaine had no teeth, but otherwise they were very winsome.

The Americans, however, delighted in astonishing the French by throwing 20 francs notes about, ordering champagne by the dozen, and otherwise behaving as if they were all millionaires.

This had a very demoralizing effect upon the Maison Hogrelle, and when the writer returned there in the fall of 1918, after the number of Americans in France had risen from 200,000 to 2,000,000, the price of a chicken supper was 40 francs, champagne extra at 15 francs the bottle. Vivienne was wearing corsets, so that she looked like a pillow with a string tied about its middle, and Germaine had a set of false teeth.—Adventure Magazine.

Borned His Handout.

Since the war, Hollywood has been flooded with beggars, who are able-bodied men, but simply too lazy to work and excuse their hulky appearance by claiming they are ex-service men who have been gassed. They do a great injury to real ex-service men and are a nuisance, but the other day one stopped at a house and made a hit.

"I'm giving you this quarter," said the lady of the house, "not because you deserve it, but because it pleases me to give it to you."

"Thanks," said the mendicant, "but couldn't you make it a dollar and thoroughly enjoy yourself?"

As It Looked to Bridget.

Housewife (irritated)—I don't know, Bridget, whether it's you or I who's crazy.

Bridget—I think we're both crazy. Mrs. Buzzaw. Surely you wouldn't be in your right mind if you won't hire a foolish cook.

Enthusiastic Recommendation.

"Are the baths here really so healthful?"

"Yes, you can rely on that. The person who can't get well here rarely never was sick."



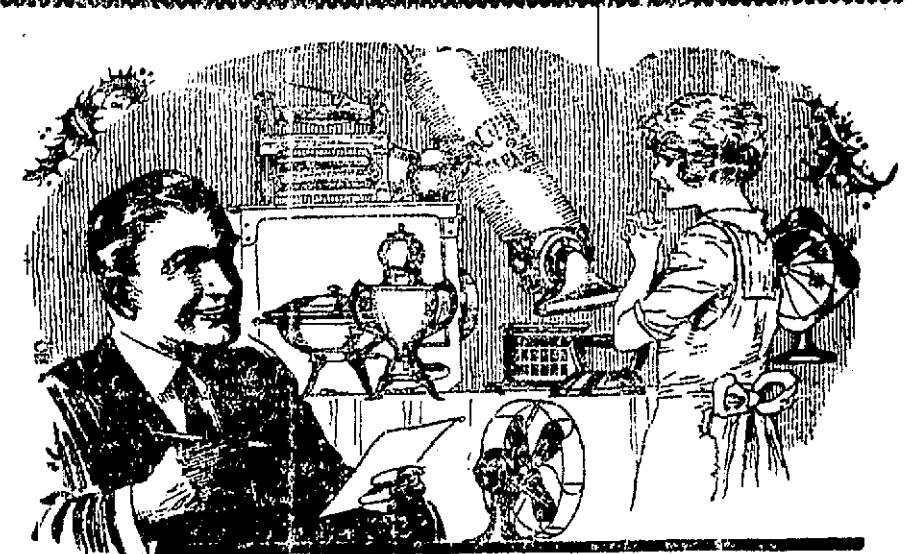
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Chafing Dish	\$17.50
Hair Curler	\$2.50
Hair Dryers	\$12.50
Hot Plate	\$2.00
Egg Cooker	\$4.50
Heating Pad (Automatic)	\$8.50
Sewing Machine Motor	\$18.50
Ironing Machine	\$137.50
Chandeliers	\$3.00
Table Lamps	\$7.50
Tree Lights, 8 to a set, complete	\$2.00
Adjusto Lights	\$5.00

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Xmas Tree Lights Set of 8 complete	\$2	American Family Gig. Econ. Guaranteed	\$5
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FOUR KILLED
WHEN SLED IS
HIT BY AUTO

By United Press.
BOULDER, Colo., Dec. 14.—Four students at the University of Colorado were killed and two injured last night when a bob-sled on which they were riding was struck by an automobile.



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THE CHILDREN AT CHRISTMAS TIME

The mother of these four children says that she uses Father John's Medicine for the past twenty years and in cases of severe colds she believes it has no equal. In a recent letter she said, "I have used Father John's Medicine for twenty years. I knew of its value and used it long before I was married. I have given it to all of my four children and for colds and severe colds I think it is very good." (Signed) Mrs. Paul G. Kuff, White Plains, N. Y.

Millions of mothers depend on Father John's Medicine to keep their children well and strong and to restore the strength after any illness. They know that it has had more than 50 years of success for colds and coughs and as a tonic and body builder.

CUTICURA HEALS
ITCHY PIMPLES

(In Fact, Were Soft and Inflamed. Burned Severely.

"When I was fourteen years of age pimplies broke out on my face.

They were soft and inflamed, and at times ached and burned severely, causing many restless nights. I was treated but got no relief. A friend advised me to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment.

I purchased both and after three or four treatments I got relief.

I continued using them and after about twelve treatments I was healed." (Signed) Mrs. J. L. Cendaniel, Lincoln City, Delaware.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Salve are all you need for all toilet uses. Bathe with Soap, sooth with Ointment, dust with Salve.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Salve.

250 PERSONS AT MASONIC BANQUET AT SCOTTDALE

Wanda N. Carr of Uniontown
Is Principal Speaker of
the Occasion.

AUXILIARY ELECTIONS

Special to the Courier
SCOTTDALE, Dec. 16.—About 250 persons attended the annual banquet of Marion Lodge of Masons Friday evening at the Young Men's Christian Association. Wanda N. Carr of Uniontown was the speaker of the evening. Short addresses were made also by C. L. Miller of Scottdale and Dr. H. J. Bell of Dawson. Charles A. Grant of Mount Pleasant was toastmaster. Rev. Indiana Jeffreys made the invocation. Participants in the festivities of the evening came from Connellsville, Uniontown, Dawson, Greensburg, Mount Pleasant, Ligonier, Latrobe and Pittsburgh, joining with those of Scottdale in what is declared to have been one of the finest turkey dinners ever served the lodge. The feast was prepared and served by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. under the general chairmanship of Mrs. G. E. Hottle.

J. Frank Baird's Orchestra provided music.

At a business session preceding the meeting District Deputy R. K. Porter of Greensburg installed the lodge officers. Mr. Porter was a guest at the banquet.

Trammen Women Name Officers.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trammen Thursday afternoon elected the following officers: First president, Mrs. Emma Beegle; president, Mrs. Flora Whetstone; vice-president, Mrs. Charles Steiner of Youngwood; secretary, Mrs. Walter Wilhelmi; treasurer, Miss Mae Beegle; chaplain, Mrs. Samuel Himmelwright of Youngwood; constressor, Mrs. Warren Miner; warden, Mrs. Albert Solomon; inner guard, Mrs. Osterweil of Youngwood. Out of town persons attending included Mrs. Lee Neagle, Mrs. Daniel Puleo, Mrs. Charles Stohner and Mrs. Samuel Himmelwright of Youngwood and Mrs. John Haymen of Connellsville, who was the guest of Mrs. Beegle.

Region Auxiliary Election.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to Thomas Llewellyn Post, American Legion selected the following officers: President, Mrs. Fred Llewellyn; vice-president, Mrs. Robert Gore; secretary, Mrs. A. Meade Tannahill; treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Murphy; chaplain, Mrs. James F. Murphy; inner guard, Mrs. John G. Tedrow; historian, Mrs. J. P. K. Miller. The committee appointed to make up boxes for the soldiers home in Pittsburgh was Miss Yahner and Mrs. Alex Taylor. A vote of thanks was extended Mrs. A. S. Llewellyn, who has served the auxiliary so faithfully, as president for the past two years, also by the Legion members who greatly appreciate the work done by Mrs. Llewellyn.

Farl Cable in Hospital.

Farl Cable, whose home is at North Scottdale, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Memorial Hospital at Mount Pleasant and is getting along nicely.

Appendicitis Operation.

William T. Hley, 18 years old, of Everett underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Memorial Hospital at Mount Pleasant and is getting along nicely.

Bachelor Club Dance.

The Bachelors' Club has issued invitations for a semi-formal dance to be given Friday evening December 21 in Eald Hall, Scottdale. On the committee are James R. Sheahan, Walter E. Haines, Paul F. Estline, William W. Higgins, McPherson N. Trout, Joseph V. Oakes and Phoenix N. Tedyo.

David Thomas Hurt.

David J. Thomas, 47 years old, who played at the pipe mill is suffering with a fractured arm. He was caught in machinery.

Mrs. Hambley Hostess.

Mrs. Minnie Hambley of the Parker Apartments was hostess on Tuesday evening to the T. W. M. A. Club Cards, dancing and music were features of the evening. Miss Mary Hambley sang several selections.

Ball Game Tonight.

The T. M. C. A. Intermediate will clash for the second time this season at the P. M. C. A. floor this evening with the Youngwood Building Juniors. This team was known last year as the T. M. C. A. Juniors. The game is scheduled to begin at 8:30 o'clock. It is hoped to have the new uniforms for the game. Merle Wengham will be referee.

Schools Close.

The Connellsville public schools closed yesterday for the holiday vacation.

New Home Chattered.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ridderour have built an eight-roomed house in Walnut Avenue. They moved into it Tuesday.

For Sale.

Four acres best land, 5-room house, 1-1 condition, now garage for two cars, on macadam road for \$1,000. Five-room bungalow, 1-2 acre land, \$2,500. Six-room house, large lot for \$1,500. Eight-room house, 1 acre land for \$1,700. Ten-room house, one street car line from Scottdale for \$2,000. F. N. DeWitt—Advertisement—14dec-21.

Combine to Fight Gas Rule.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—A new Progressive-Democratic combine has been formed to fight the gas rule in the House. The coalition forced administration leaders to adjourn the House today when it threatened to upset administration control of the rules committee.

Anything For Sale
Use our "Classified" ads.

Any Real Estate for Sale?
See our Classified Advertisements.

Christmas



the greater pleasure comes after all in watching the effect of a well-selected gift on another member of the family.

Of course you are going to make this "the best Christmas ever!" No doubt your list has been made up for some time and many of the articles are already purchased and hidden away to await the happy occasion. However, there is always one gift at least that is hard to settle—satisfactory. Ethel "seems to have simply everything" and Charles "is so hard to select anything for."

Let us tell you that we have made it our business to prepare for just such cases. We have new and beautiful things in jewelry and personal accessories that would delight Ethel, and official emblem jewelry for the organization that Charles belongs to, as well as many articles that will increase his comfort in his convenience in home or office.

"Gifts that Last"—gifts of real worth, personal accessories for toilet or travel, precious gems in artistic settings, wonderful creations of the lapidary and the worker in precious metals, watches as beautiful as they are reliable, clocks, silverware and objects of art to beautify the home await your inspection. In inviting you to call and inspect a selection of which we are truly proud, let us also wish you most cordially and sincerely

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LIKE THE WORLD OF TODAY

Life of the Present-Day Civilization
Existed in Babylon—Raids on
Residence Parties Were Common.

The life of present-day civilization existed in Babylon. Raids on gay residence parties were common. Wine selling was regulated and the enforcement was put squarely up to the vendor. One section of the penal code provided, "If a wine merchant has allowed riotous characters to assemble in her house and those riotous characters (sic) has not seized and driven to the palace that wine merchant shall be put to death."

A raid might end for breach of promise, a landholder had to pay a heavier tax if he did not cultivate his allotment, guardians were provided for estates of widows and orphans. Formal contracts and deeds had to be attested by a notary and in swearing the person taking the oath raised his right hand. An official copy of the transaction on a clay tablet, with the notary's attestation, was deposited in the temple—the courthouse of those days.

There was an excellent reason for paying one's rent promptly in Babylon, for creditors could seize one of the debtor's household for a hostage and hold him until a satisfactory settlement was made. Interest rates referred to on clay tablets, were 20 per cent. Instead of a penalty of 10 per cent, as provided in modern notes, legal steps must be taken to collect Babylonian notes provided for the doubling of the debt.

ALL BOILERS DON'T EXPLODE

Explosion When Steamer Sinks Is Due
to Water Pouring Into the
Furnaces.

We often read or hear, of her "boilers blowing up" when a steamer founders. Indulge yourself in a smile the next time the expression is used in your presence. The thing doesn't happen.

A boiler is less likely to burst when surrounded by water and thus receiving pressure from the outside than when exposed to the air and subjected to the full force of the internal pressure caused by the expansion of the steam.

What really occurs is that the furnaces are flooded when a steamship sinks, thus causing a sudden rush of steam—call it an explosion of steam—and what this may mean can best be realized by comparison with common household grates when the kettle boils over. Imagine this on a gigantic scale, and a conception can be formed of the force exerted and the explosion resulting although the boilers remain intact.—Cinematograph.

HIS DEPRESSION WAS JUSTIFIED,
He was a sentimental youth who had been suffering for some time with severe depression. One morning, via Sunbeam, he turned up at the office looking the picture of abject misery.

"What's the matter?" asked his employer.
"I can hardly tell you," the boy replied modestly. "I—I—I have at last proposed—and have been turned down!"

"Tut-tut," replied his employer hopefully. "It will turn out all right in the end. A woman's not often means yes."

Perhaps it does, was the sorrowful reply, but this young didn't say so, she just laughed.—South's Companion.

TOO HIGH UP TO SEE HIM,
A man about town met a friend who had recently become a judge and then said: "And I will now tell you good-by."

"Why?" asked his friend; "are you going away?"

"Neither am I. So why this good-by?"

"It is this way," explained the party of the first part. "I have known many men who become judges governors or what not. After their elevation none of them were able to see me again."

NOT FAR OFF

Holt was discussing about idioms or speech and the oddities that crop up in various languages.

"For instance," he said, "on the continent when they want to compliment a man they call him a large vegetable."

"What of that?"

"Seems a queer figure of speech we have nothing like it."

"On the contrary, we have something very much like it. Don't we often call a man a small potato?"



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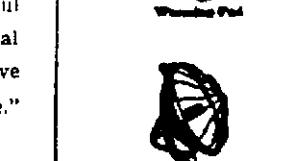
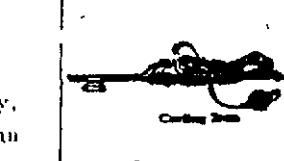
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GETTING BACK OF SCOUTING
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The normal boy finds vent for his activities best in the open where he has room for free movement and without the restraints imposed by the conditions of life indoors. Supplying this need is one of the great purposes of Scouting. For that reason it makes an appeal to the boy who craves an opportunity to come in closer contact with nature.

To supply that opportunity ought to be the very earnest desire of every adult who has a proper appreciation of the necessity for the training of boys in all those things tending to inculcate the essential principles of good citizenship while conserving and strengthening bodily health. No better nor more effective agency for the accomplishment of these purposes has been devised than Scouting.

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**Short Talks
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No. 18—Women.

In the Elks' Magazine, New York, James H. Colling has this to say about women—the buyers:

"The economist and reformer is generally a man, but the consumer nearly always a woman. For it is estimated that women buy more than 75 per cent of all the counter merchandise sold in this country."

"In debating the question 'Who pays for advertising?' the reformer and economist proceed just like men—they figure it out on paper, make an abstract theory of it, and draw a conclusion from that theory."

"But a woman doesn't theorize—she goes shopping. She reads what the advertising manufacturers and merchant have to say about their commodities, examines them in the shops, compares them with unadvertised things. And the fact that she pays her good money for the advertised article nearly nine times in ten shows

that she settled that question in her mind long ago, probably before it ever occurred to the economist or reformer."

"Woman, the consumer, has found out that neither the consumer, the manufacturer nor the merchant pays for advertising."

"We have seen that, by increasing turnover and reducing selling costs, it pays for itself."

"Woman, the consumer, has discovered that the advertised item is better value. Turnover and selling costs may mean nothing to her, but you can't fool her when it comes to getting the best dollar's worth."

Mr. Colling left out only one point—the advertising of women's "trade paper." To these she looks for the news of merchandise which shall render her business of home-making more efficient, more economical, more satisfactory in comfort and convenience.

**The Glory That Was Greece;
The Grandeur That Was Rome**

Out of the misty ages of the past have come the records of great civilizations. Nations have struggled upward to a place in the sun, and then becoming strong, waxed fat, decayed and died. Ancient Greece and Rome typify the life span of nations and civilizations.

Is America to follow in their foot-steps? Our country has passed through the various stages of growing nations and we have now reached a point where our great and multiplying wealth, disrespect for law and order and increasing profligacy are leading downward to decay and destruction unless—unless American citizens take heed of the lessons taught by the fallen nations of the past.

At the lives of great nations go, we are but a boy who suddenly grows in stature far beyond his years and who has not the abiding influence of experience and sober judgment to act as a governor on his wild impulses.

We must take stock and remain to us. Our country has passed through the various stages of growing nations and we have now reached a point where our great and multiplying wealth, disrespect for law and order and increasing profligacy are leading downward to decay and destruction unless—unless American citizens take heed of the lessons taught by the fallen nations of the past.

The rising generation is accused of failure to regard as essential the things that their parents held in the highest respect. If there is a lack of obedience, who is to blame? If there is a lack of responsibility, where does the fault lie? Parents who do not realize the situation are blind to the pit they are digging for themselves in failing in the overthrow of established law and order. The rise or fall of America will depend upon how this generation dedicates itself to obedience to law.

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ABE MARTIN**On Thirty Years Ago**WHEN HOME WUZ A REAL ESTABLISHMENT.
(From the files of the Weekly Slip Horn.)

The Liberty pole on th' public square succumbed t' last evn'th'n's gale, but fortunately it fall between eight an' nine when ever'buddy wuz at home an' off th' streets.

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Personal Mention

Mrs. G. W. Knowles of Cleveland, Ohio, has returned after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. MacL. Stewart of Dunbar.

The best place to shop after all—Brownell Shoe Co.—Advertisement.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stumbaugh of Latrobe are spending the week-end with their father's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kurtz of East Green street.

Mr. and Mrs. Stumbaugh both were teachers of the local High School. Mr. Stumbaugh now is a teacher at the Latrobe High.

Dow's Shoe Store has the best selections of Holiday Slippers in town.

For men, women and children. What would make a more acceptable Xmas Gift?—Advertisement—15-3.

O. H. Wine, athletic instructor at the Latrobe High School, formerly athletic instructor of the local High School, is spending the week-end in this city as the guest of friends.

Pine Top Salve—for colds, coughs, asthma and coughs.—Adv—(2).

Mrs. Anna Haltill, who has been ill at her home in North Cottage avenue for three weeks, is improving.

See A. P. Freed's surprising offer on pianos and phonographs on page 3 of this issue—Advertisement—15-1.

William Leckomy of the West Side spent yesterday in Pittsburgh as the guest of friends.

Pictured: mirrors, moths, calenders, swinging frames. Hall's Picture Store.—Advertisement—12-21-od.

Ivan Frost of Dunbar will spend Sunday visiting friends in Pittsburgh.

Why not a roll cabinet, desk bench or floor lamp for Xmas. I have the most complete line in Fayette county, 16 styles. All finishes. Peter J. Welmer.—Advertisement—4-14.

D. A. Lusen of the West Side spent yesterday in Pittsburgh.

Bring the babies. Ward Studio—Advertisement—13dec-21.

Mrs. T. M. Mitchell of Ohio City was shopping here today.

A nice box of Eaton Crane & Pike Holiday Stationery will help solve your gift problem. We have a splendid assortment at Kormers Book Store, 135 W. Apple street—Advertisement—15dec-22.

Mrs. Hazel Newcomer and sister, Mrs. George Livingstone of Dawson and Little Alice, Maxine Buser of Davis, W. Va., were Connellsville visitors yesterday.

Cybernet plants for Christmas in bloom and loaded with buds at \$1.00 to \$2.00, also fine ferns at \$1.00 to \$2.00. P. R. DeMuth & Sons, 120 East Crawford avenue and 102 East Cedar avenue—Advertisement—13-21.

Mrs. Dorothy McClaren will arrive home tomorrow from Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, Pa., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClaren. Her brother, Wilson, a student at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, will arrive home Sunday, December 23. Miss Elizabeth McClaren, dietitian in the Philadelphia General Hospital, will not be home for the holidays.

Christmas cards, seals, tags, pleasure sentiment. Hall's Picture Store—Advertisement—12-21-od.

Miss Elizabeth Comp of Uniontown has returned home after a visit with friends here.

What would make a more useful Christmas gift than a pair of 4-buckle arctics from Dow's Shoe Store for men, women, boys and children?—Advertisement—15-3.

William Kern and Albert Schobert, both of Mill Run were visitors in the city today.

Your wife needs an Easy Vacuum Washer or Mangle. Buy it for Christmas at A. P. Freed's.—Advertisement—15-12-21.

Misses Peg Miller of Greensburg, Le Durant and Monica Scott, both of Pittsburgh, are guests of Miss Olive McElaney.

Evening footwear is always acceptable and appreciated by any young lady as Xmas Gift. Dow's Shoe Store has the selections.—Advertisement—15-3.

Mrs. Gertrude Cochran of Morgantown, W. Va., formerly of Dawson, was here Thursday.

Beautiful electric dolly. Gift for a girl. Hall's Picture Store—Advertisement—13-21-od.

Miss Katharine Knox, a student at Lowell Seminary, Auburndale, Mass., is expected home next Thursday for the Christmas holidays. She expects to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Paul Bolger. Her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Markell and Miss Louise Smith, a niece of Mrs. Markell, will accompany her. Mrs. Bolger is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Markell.

Pictures for gifts, 25c to \$1.00 Hall's Picture Store—Advertisement—13-21-od.

Mrs. D. K. Dilworth of East Washington avenue went in Pittsburgh this morning to visit over Sunday.

Buy your boy or girl a Remington Portable Typewriter with standard keyboard for Christmas at A. P. Freed's.—Advertisement—15-17-10-21.

Story of East Cedar ay in Pittsburgh.

Plano rolls in records free Saturday. See A. P. Freed's offer, page 3 of this issue.—Advertisement—15-3.

Miss Catherine Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Dawson, will arrive home next Tuesday from Margaret Morrison School, Pittsburgh, for the Christmas vacation.

Miss Nellie Dougherty, a student at Notre Dame College, Baltimore, Md., and James Dougherty, who is enrolled at Mount St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, Md., will arrive home next Wednesday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dougherty of East Cedar avenue.

W. W. Haines underwent a hernia operation yesterday at the Connellsville State Hospital and is getting

MOTHERS AND THEIR CHILDREN



Cultivating Individuality.
One Mother Says:
I have twin boys, so much alike that they are mistaken continually for each other. I have, however, determined that each shall have an individual place in life; that their personalities shall not be merged. In each I have discovered a different talent which is being cultivated. I dress them differently and try to emphasize the distinguishing traits of each.

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along nicely according to hospital authorities.

Frank Blas of Erie, student at Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, is visiting Lawrence King of South Arch street, a classmate.

E. T. Norton, Robert Norris, A. B. Norton, F. M. Hickey, E. R. Kooser, R. M. Wilhelm, Louis Hezel, C. C. Gallagher and O. W. Anderson were among Connellsville Masons attending the annual banquet of Marlton Lodge at Scottdale last evening.

Miss Anna Mae Templeton arrived home last night from Sergeant Hospital, Baltimore, to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Templeton.

H. E. Shadé and son, Dick and daughter, Mary Louise, of Greenwood, spent the day in Pittsburgh.

Stores Warned Not To Violate Female Law in Rush Season

By United Press

HARRISBURG, Dec. 15.—Many Royal Meekor of the Dept. of Mines of Labor and Industry, warned the management of stores in Pennsylvania today not to exceed 51 hours weekly schedules provided in the woman's law during the Christmas rush.

"The department will make a special survey of all establishments employing female to see that the privileges granted in the holiday rush are not exceed," said Dr. Weeks today.

Stores may work female clerks overtime Friday, Saturday and Monday before Christmas. It was announced, provided they do not work more than 12 hours during any one day nor more than 64 hours a week. This gives two hours overtime.

President Will Use Radio Instead Of Travel Speeches

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—According to the tentative plan of the Coolidge board of strategy, understood to include former Ambassador George Harvey, Charles B. Warren of Michigan and Frank W. Stearns of Boston, Mr. Coolidge will not make a speaking tour during his campaign for the presidency.

The President has expressed his desire to stay in Washington and attend to his official duties as President. Such appeal as he will make directly to voters will be addressed broadcast by radio.

Coolidge Commutes Sentences of 31

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—President Coolidge today commuted the sentences of 31 political prisoners remaining in federal jails. The clemency was unconditional.

Warrants are being prepared by the Department of Justice and the men will be freed as soon as the documents can be delivered to the warden of the Leavenworth and Atlanta prisons.

SANTA'S BEST GIFT.

One That Every Child in Connellsville Should Have.

And the beauty of it is that it doesn't cost you a penny. You simply open a Savings Account with \$1. at the First National Bank for any child you wish to remember, and the bank handles, FREE, a miniature Liberty Bell Bank, an exact reproduction of the famous Liberty Bell. It's a lasting gift and helps children to form the splendid habit of Thrift, so important to success in life.—Advertisement—11dec-3-od.

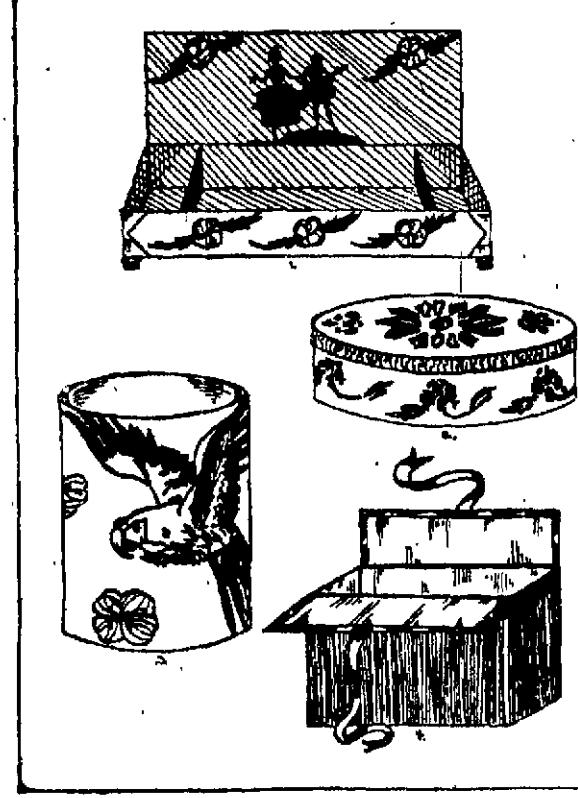
Aviators Killed.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 15.—Lieutenant Earl D. Willis and Private de Almada, an enlisted mechanic, were instantly killed Friday when their plane crashed to the ground during bombing practice.

Declines Ambassadorship.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—R. H. Craytor of Brownsville, Tex., has declined the offer of President Coolidge to become ambassador to Mexico. It was announced at the White House today.

Have You Room for Rent? Use our "Classy-Flat" ads.



GLUE MAGIC APPLIED TO EMPTY CONTAINERS

AN EMPTY cigar box, an oatmeal container and a sundries box have been transformed into lovely gifts for Christmas by covering them with bits of silk, crepe paper, ribbon and cutout motifs. These materials are attached with a fine quality of liquid glue, used sparingly so that it does not discolor the fabrics. Figs. 1, 2, 3 and 4 are now a jewel case, a utility box, a flower holder and a bandbox box.

Winter Coughs and Colds

With the changeful weather which we have at this season of the year, coughs and colds are very prevalent.

It is prepared for them. Have a bottle of POLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND handy, and with the first sign

of a cough or cold take dose and prevent a serious ailment.

POLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND has

been the standard family cough remedy for over 35 years, bringing prompt relief and when once used you will never be without it. Sold everywhere.—Advertisement.

Get 16-Point Buck.

C. B. Marlette and two sons, Joseph and Rockwell, of Ligonier, have returned from a hunting trip in the mountains near Elizabethtown, bringing with them a buck deer, weighing 200 pounds and having 16 points, shot by Mr. Marlette, a former Connellsville resident.

Want Something.

Use our "Classy-Flat" ads.

COAL

Announcement

The Walnut Hill Coal Co. is selling Pittsburgh Coal Run of Mine #1

16c Per Bushel Delivered

This coal is mined from the solid—no stumps and ribs. Each bushel weighed. Order now for future delivery.

Walnut Hill Coal Co.

Louis Holzel, Pres.

Bell 29.

Convenient Term... Every housewife can have this finest of cleaners, for our deferred payment plan makes it very easy to buy. Ask about it.

Patronize those who advertise.

Premier Duplex



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The Thorough Cleaner

—for Her Christmas

The cleaner that will not only save her hours of labor—but do her work thoroughly! The latest cleaner—that will still be the finest, years from now.

Its double action cleans cleaner. The powerful suction gets all the dirt from the depths of the rug—and cleans effectively with its attachments. The motor-driven brush picks up threads and clinging surface lint. You must have both actions.

The G-E type motor—ball bearing—run with smooth hum—and needs no oiling. Every point from the cleaner's grip to its nozzle is of the newest type—perfected for convenience, long wear, and fine appearance.

Chas. C. LeVan

121 Witter Avenue, Connellsville, Pa.

Rosenbaum Bros.

The Christmas Store

Hall Hours: 8:30 to 5:30. Both Phones 1200. Saturday Hours: 8:30 to 9:00.

Remember—a deposit will hold any article for future delivery.

Come Up and Visit Toyland

In Rosenbaum's—Third Floor

Grown-ups as well as kiddies will enjoy it, and you'll be surprised at the number of toys and games and everything that Santa Claus is going to give out to good little boys and girls on Christmas morning. There are—

Kiddie Farm, with roller wheels, \$2.25 to \$6.50

Pedal Bikes in similar styles with wire wheels \$2.50 to \$6.50

Blackboards, rigid style with folding desk and roller chart and pictures \$2.25 to \$5.00

Mechanical Toys, that wind 50c to \$1.50

Hobby Horses that swing back and forth. Dappled grey \$1.00 to \$20.00

Iron Pull Toys, brightly painted and substantially built. Fire apparatus, ox cart, and others \$1.50 to \$1.00

Show-Fliers — horses, ducks, roosters etc. Highly decorated \$2.00 to \$5.00

Booklets—all kinds for boys or girls, little tots and grown-ups

Paper or linen — 10c to \$1.00

Fairy Tales — .50c to \$2.00

Books for Boys and Girls 25c to \$1.25

Blocks—picture, ABC, puzzle and nested styles \$1.00 to \$2.50

Automobiles, all sizes \$7.50 to \$20.00

Animals, stuffed, mechanical and fur — cats, dogs, cows, sheep, etc. \$2.00 to \$5.00

Dolls' Furniture, in every or grey finishes \$2.25 to \$11.00

Dolls some that say "mamma," others walk, cry or rock entire pieces. Dressed or undressed \$2.00 to \$15.00

Doll's Furniture, in every or grey finishes \$2.25 to \$11.00

Children's Furniture — chairs, straight or rockers, tables, etc., white and oak \$2.00 to \$15.00

Roller Skates, ball bearing. For boys or girls. Exceptional \$1.75

Sporting World

BY JAMES M. DRISCOLL.

High School Drops First Basketball Game of Year To Redstone Twp. Outfit

Champions of Last Season, With Same Line-Up, Take Over the Locals.

IN LEAD ALL THE WAY

The Connellsville High School basketball team, playing the championship Redstone Township quintet in its opening pre-season engagement at the gymnasium last night, went down to a 41-35 defeat. The six-point margin was more or less maintained by the visitors throughout.

LaRue, jumping center, was the pivot of the Cokers attack and Captain Welsh and "Bo" Wilhelm stood the brunt of the defense work. Weak points in the combination were brought out by the game, which was a hard-fought struggle, and these will be remedied immediately.

Tonight the German Township III outfit, another freshy combination for a small school, will meet the Cokers.

C. H. S.—III. Redstone—11. O'Donnell F Markle Niland F Beam LaRue C E Stevens Wilhelm G N Stevens Welsh G Norman Substitutions—Travis for Wilhelm, Trump for Niland, Wilhelm for Travis, George for Wilhelm, Niland for Trump, Trump for Niland.

Field goals—LaRue 7, Markle 7, E Stevens 4, Beam 2, O'Donnell, Niland, Welsh, N. Stevens, Seeman.

Foul goals—O'Donnell, 7 out of 8; Niland, 2 out of 7; LaRue, 3 out of 6; Welsh, 2 out of 5; Markle, 3 out of 6; Beam, 2 out of 6; E Stevens, 4 out of 11; N. Stevens, 2 out of 4; Seeman, 1 out of 3; Trump, 0 out of 1.

Referee—Wall.

Junior Grid Teams Clash For "Title"

The South Side Tops and the Hill Tops will play for the city junior championship at Fayette Field this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The game has aroused lots of interest because of the controversy which has been waged between the two outfit, the Hill Tops casting hints of covetousness which finally caused the South Side to accept the challenge and once more get down to regular practice.

The boys of both teams are in the lower grades of school and many are those who will be future Hill Top School timber. Both teams are well-drilled for junior grid and a big delegation of sport followers, interested in seeing the youngsters battle, will be on hand.

O'Donnell to Fans.
LaRue, who has played both guard and forward on the High School football team, and who is now jumping center this season, did well in his new position against Redstone Township last night. He scored seven of his goals.

"Bud" O'Donnell broke into his first varsity basketball game last night. He is light but handles himself cleverly. Though weak on scoring from the floor, he got seven out of eight foul attempts.

The rules this year call for each man shooting personal fouls committed against him. As a result no team can have one exceptionally good goal tinner who may win games for his squad. Every man has to take a hand in that phase of the game.

Trump, a freshman, broke into the line-up last night. He is expected to be seen regularly this season, or as often as he accustoms himself to the floor and finds out it is no grueling task.

Connellsville High School defeated California Normal last night by the narrow margin of two points, the result being 24-22. Connellsville had a big lead when the last period opened and then the visitors tightened up while scoring a number of points for themselves, the Californians held the countsmen to one single point, a foul goal by Hackney.

With the defeat of the Cokers last night by the championship Redstone Township team, it looks bad for the other county combinations. Redstone has four of its five varsity men from last season in the line-up again.

Billy Gleason, second baseman, who suffered a broken leg during the past season while playing with Memphis, expects to be as good as ever next year.

Ty Cobb says he expects to make a real battle for the pennant next year. Whenever Cobb is about in a baseball mele there is always a battle. Cobb is not a diamond purist.

The actual battling in the Dempsey-Firpo fight lasted three minutes and forty-seven seconds. Dempsey received \$166,750 for his share of the receipts, a average of \$1,977.88 per second.

Match Between Firpo and Bolivian Indian
According to a Buenos Aires dispatch, an effort is being made to arrange a match between Firpo and a Bolivian Indian, reported to have the cranial characteristics of a "missing link," a height of seven feet three inches, and an arm spread of eight feet. If such a "sporting event" is arranged and the jungle man wins the next logical step will be the importation of a gorilla from the African jungle to contest the title with the new champion.

IVAN PARKE LEADING JOCKEY OF COUNTRY

Rise of 95-Pound Youngster Has Been Phenomenal.

The rise of Ivan Parke, 95-pound riding sensation at the recent Latonia race meeting, has been phenomenal, considering that the boy rode his first mount on January 4 last.

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Ivan Parke.

The youngster, who is sixteen years old, leads all other American riders today with a total of 121 winning mounts out of 607, giving him a winning percentage of 21 for the year. This is one of the best riding records for a first year in the history of the American turf.

The riding ability of this personalized jockey has been frequently attested by his having had to come from back to win many of his races from older and more experienced riders. Despite his feathered poundage, Parke loomed as a subtle giant in Kentucky.

This fact led to his retention by Harry Payne Whitney, through the latter's agent, Ross Goldblatt, veteran Cincinnati curmudgeon. "He will become one of America's greatest jockeys," said Goldblatt's recommendation after he had signed the boy to a long-term contract.

Parke's record shows that he attained his fame from the beginning of the recent Lexington meeting, when he rode 22 of his 61 mounts to victory. On October 16 and 17 at Lexington he astounded the turf world by riding ten of fourteen mounts in front during the two days.

Parke completed his Kentucky engagements with a total of 48 winners out of 188 mounts, for the excellent winning percentage of .25.

Interesting Facts About Illinois' New Stadium
The Illinois stadium at Urbana is a gift of 18,000 amateur and students. It covers eight acres. Each stand is 510 feet long and the top is 112 feet high.

It required:
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It commemorates the memory of 200 Illinois men who died in the World War.

It will be the center of a vast system of intramural athletics.

It opened November 8 with the Chicago-Illinois game.

Wilbert Robinson, manager for Brooklyn, received \$17,000 a year.

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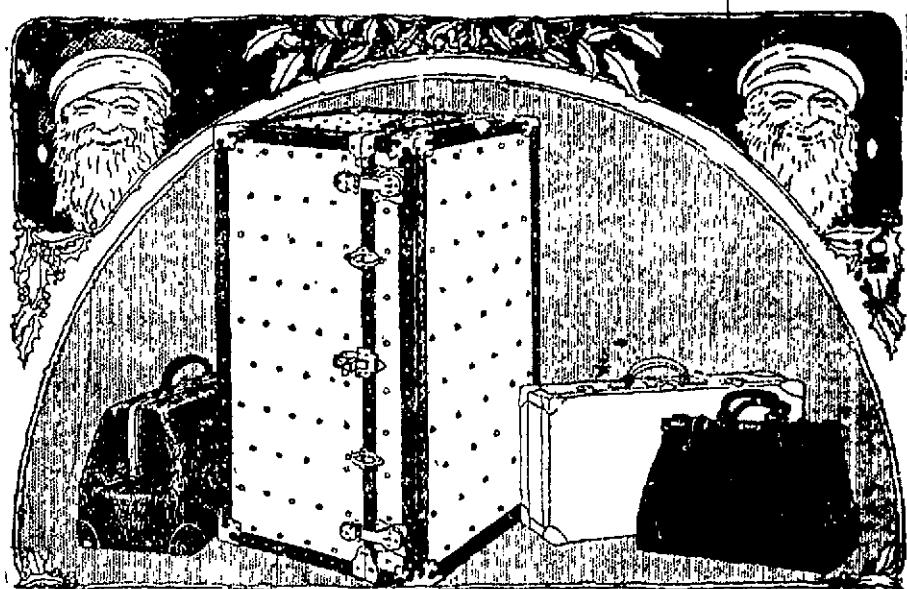
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**Among
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FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN—Where Morton crosses Pittsburg, Francis J. Scott, D. D., minister. Bible school at 9:45 A. M. Morning worship at 11. The subject for the morning sermon is "The Last Vision." The text is Exodus, fourteenth chapter and fifteenth verse. If we have lost the sense of the fellowship of prayer, of service and of Christian joy, let us go back to the place of vision and once more reverently stand before it, see again its holy character, listen again to its challenge and be moved again by its clear call to service; so that our wills may be renewed by God's help to do the things we set out to do. In the evening at 7:30 the subject of the sermon is "My Neighbor." The story is found in the gospel according to Luke. "Who is my Neighbor?" is a great question but quite a few people fancy they have answered it by saying "I do not know his name, but his children run across my lawn and his dog keeps me awake at night." Come and hear more about the spirit of neighborhood. You are welcome.

TRINITY REFORMED—J. H. Doran, pastor. Sunday school 9:45; worship, 11 A. M. and 7:45, subject of morning sermon, "Christian Brotherhood vs. Nationalism." Evening subject, "The Story of the Gospel."

FIRST BAPTIST—E. H. Stevens, minister. Bible school, 9:45, lesson study, "World-wide Missions or the Mission of Paul." Morning worship, 11, second sermon on "Why I Am a Christian." Is it enough to affirm that we are Christians because we began the Christian life years ago? We can thank God if we have continued in the faith. But why not change our religious beliefs? Why not accept some other leadership than that of Jesus Christ? Why not join the multitude who are indifferent to the claims of Jesus? Half the population of the country are not yet in the church, and a great host of members are only nominally connected with the church. It is a day of "isms" of many kinds. Some of them very foolish; a day of pride, greed, selfishness, low sexual morality, a day of international hatred and fear. There is misunderstanding among church members. The fundamentalists are at war with the radicals. The radicals look down on the fundamentalist with brotherly pity mixed in the intellectual pride of modernism. There's war in the churches. Why be Christians today? The pastor has something to say on these things. R. Y. P. U. 8:45. This is a Bible Year of Memory Verses. Evening service, 7:30. Sermon subject, "God's Gift to Men."

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN—Vine and Newyer, J. A. Duffamont, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Preaching at 10 A. M. On account of the meetings at Bear Run, the evening services will be dispensed with. Come and worship with us. You are welcome.

TRINITY LUTHERAN—Fairview Avenue, Rev. W. H. Metrick, D. D., pastor. Class in catechism, 9 A. M.; Sunday school, 10 A. M., attendance 454 last Sunday; morning worship, 11 A. M., sermon, "Thoughts That Bring Peace." Luther League, 6:45 P. M. Evening worship, 7:30, sermon, "No Other Foundation."

JAMES COCHRAN MEMORIAL METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Vanderbilt, C. H. Beall, pastor. Church school at 9:45. The subject of the morning worship is "An Acceptance." World, a Pre-Christmas Meditation. This is a study in world conditions at the advent of Christ. Epworth League at 6:45. Leader, Burnette Gray. Evening service at 7:30, sermon, "Guest and Host."

GREENWOOD METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Morning service, 11, "The Magnetism of the Cross." Evening service 7:30. "Paul's Stenographer." Sunday school 2:45 in the afternoon. G. G. Gallagher, pastor.

VANDERHILT CHRISTIAN—Bible school at 10 A. M. Communion service at 11 A. M. followed by sermon by G. E. Carpenter. Every member is urged to be present, as there is some matter of business to be taken up. Evening service. Christian Endeavor at 7:30 P. M. Preaching service at 7:30 P. M. We should have a good attendance at all those services.

EVANGELICAL—Wing street, South Connellsville. Clewell E. Miller, pastor. Sunday school on Sunday morning at 9:30; public worship at 10:30 A. M. Evening worship at 7:30. The presiding elder of the Pittsburg District, Rev. R. C. Miller, will hold quarterly conference and preach at

Poplar Grove on Friday evening December 21, at 7:30. This quarterly conference includes both the Poplar Grove and the South Connellsville congregations and the Quarterly Conference members of both congregations are members of this conference.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—George W. Buckner, minister. Bible School at 9:30 A. M. Senior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Topic, "Bible Passages We Should Memorize and Why." Each Endeavorer is to memorize at least one passage. Senior leader, Elmer Stuhm. Morning worship and sermon at 10:40; subject of the morning sermon, "Now—and Then." Read the 13th Chapter of First Corinthians. Give special attention to the 10th-13th verses, wherein you will find the theme. Evening worship and sermon at 7:30; subject of the evening sermon, "The Eclipse of the Gospel." Is it the gospel in eclipse at the present time? If so, then why? When the sun is in eclipse, the sun is, nevertheless, shining somewhere. Its light is still bright and its rays are yet warm. Whereas the present thought and talk of the "obsoleteness" of the New Testament Gospel? Is it possible for one to have clear knowledge of things material, and yet be almost wholly ignorant of the highest order of truth?

FIRST UNITED BRETHREN—Cain avenue. Rev. J. H. Bruegman, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 A. M. morning worship, 11 A. M., subject "The Holy Spirit." Juniors, 2 P. M. Christian Endeavor, 6:30 P. M. Evening worship, 7:30, subject "Good Soldiers." Everybody welcome.

GOSPEL MISSION—Services are held in this mission on East Crawford near Murphy avenue every Sunday, Tuesday and Friday at 3 P. M. Special meeting on Friday, December 21, at 6 P. M., including Christmas program by the children of the Sunday School. Entirely evangelistic in spirit. All are welcomed. Miss Sophie Niklaus, Miss Violet Round, workers in charge.

HICKORY BOTTOM SCHOOL HOUSE—Sunday school 2:30 P. M.; service 3:30 P. M. You are invited to attend. Work conducted by Miss Violet Round, Miss Sophie Niklaus.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Honored W. Hutchinson, the minister, will preach morning and evening at the usual place, the Cameron School Building. At 11 A. M., the subject of sermon, "World Problems and the Japanese Earthquake." At 7:30 P. M. a popular service. Sermon on "Partnership Versus Ownership." A lecture will be given concerning Philip Babcock's articles in the Atlantic Monthly on "The Confession of a Sinner" and "Adventures in Christianity." The Sunday school meets at 9:45 A. M. Attendance contest between boys and girls. The Epworth League meets at 6:30 and the subject is "Gems From Books We Have Read." Leader, Professor W. G. Davis.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN—J. L. Prouty, pastor; W. F. Russell, assistant. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning service, 11; sermon by Rev. Marie H. Anderson, D. D., Philadelphia, Pa. Dr. Anderson has held several important pastorate—in Dayton, Ohio, St. Louis, Newark, N. J., and Philadelphia. He has a winsome personality and is a good speaker. His sermon will be enjoyed by all who come. He is not representing any particular cause or movement and is asking for nothing but to be heard. In the evening Rev. Russell will preach his last sermon as assistant pastor. His subject will be "The Burning Heart." His friends will want to attend this service. It is a farewell service. It will at least be colored by the fact of Mr. Russell's leaving the church and the city.

METHODIST PROTESTANT—West Apple street, J. H. Lamberton, minister. Class meeting, 9 A. M. Sunday school, 9:45 A. M. Morning worship, 11 A. M., subject, "Three Times Test." Junior C. E., 3 P. M. Intermediate C. E., 6 P. M. Senior C. E., 6:45 P. M. Topic, "Bible Passages We Should Memorize and Why." In the evening at 7:30 the pastor will preach an evangelistic sermon and following the sermon an altar service will be conducted. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

SUMMIT METHODIST PROTESTANT—J. H. Lamberton, supply pastor. Sunday school, 2 P. M. Ladies Aid Society will meet on Thursday afternoon in the church. A corral will come to everybody.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL—Corner Fairview avenue and Prospect street, Third Sunday in Advent. Sunday School at 10 A. M., evening worship at 7:45. Lessons of Holy Scripture for evening service II Chron. 16:1-15, 1 Kings 18, Revelation 3, Matthew 25:1-8. An interesting sermon will be read by lay reader E. Allen Blodde of Uniontown. Thursday evening,

December 20, the Men's Club will meet in the parish house at 7:30.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—Dunn-Paine Building. Church services and Sunday School at 10:45 A. M., subject of lesson, sermon, "God the Preserver of Man." Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The reading room of this church is open weekdays from 2 to 4 o'clock.

FATIGUE CHARGE UNITED BRETHREN—Fairview, Sunday school 10 A. M., C. E. 7:30 P. M. Mount Olive, Sunday School 10 A. M., communion service and reception of members at 11 A. M., C. E. 7 P. M. Moore Memorial, Sunday School 10 A. M., C. E. at 7 P. M., communion service and reception of members at 7:45. Rev. C. Edward Shannon. Welcome.

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NEWS OF DAY AT MOUNT PLEASANT BRIEFLY RELATED

Schools Close for Holiday Vacation; Literary Programs Presented.

STUDENTS HAVE TREES

Special to The Courier
MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 15.—The public schools closed yesterday for the holiday vacation. In the grade schools large Christmas trees stood in the hallways. In most of the rooms were stockings into which each put a gift. This was a most enjoyable feature of the day.

The coming week the teachers will attend Institute in Greensburg. On Thursday the High School Orchestra will furnish music for the institute.

In the literary societies programs were presented, with the following persons taking part:

Junior No 1—Essay, Dick Abraham; recitation, Florence Christopher; oral story, Virginia Duncan; impromptu, Lena Sargent; essay, Evelyn Kreinbrook; recitation, Clara Gohl; essay, Emma Bergman; impromptu, Sarah McConnell; oral story, Felix Kovakoff; declamation, Franklin Wertz; impromptu, John Orlando; declamation, Harry Rovitz; society paper, editorial, John Rumancik; current events, Florence Walker; jokes, Arthur Gaul; debate, Irene Durkotlum and Margaret Henderson.

Philio No 1—Declamation, Andrew Benlock; reading, Helen Burrey; paper, Esther Cowan; play, Lucille Friedline; Florence Koller; Edward Clark and Frank Uherin; recitation, Mary Kurtz; impromptu, Louis Levine.

Philio No 2—Declamation, George Haas; original story, Lawrence Rubane; oration, Lawrence Lomenon; recitation, Ruthilia Stephanie; impromptu, Edith Reese; paper, Jessie Stevens; essay, Maude Lowry; recitation, Violet Lenman; impromptu, Ernest Gearhart; declamation, Lynn Sharp; recitation, Grace McGroarty; debate, Josephine Roga and John Murphy; affirmative, Vernon Anderson and Ruth Boughey; negative, Eusebia No 1—Inaugurated address, August Crisp; violin and piano number, Essie Levinson and Florence Glick; paper, Lloyd Grimes; recitation, Blanche Ostrowie; vocal solo, Irene Condon; prophecy, Helen Abraham; violin solo, Wilhelmina Brown; declamation, Thomas Hitchman; piano solo, Lorraine Koontz; recitation, Forne Long.

Church of Brethren

At the First Brethren Church, Shupe street, Rev W A Crofton will speak Sunday morning on "Freedom From Sin," and in the evening on "Public Confession." Sunday school will be at 9:45 and Christian Endeavor at 6:45. On Christmas evening the congregation will commemorate the holy communion.

Confluence

CONFLUENCE, Dec. 15.—John Nyatt's new store room and residence, opposite the B & O station, is almost completed and will soon be ready for occupancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith were recent visitors to Rockwood.

The report is that wadding belts for two of Confluence's most popular young people will soon ring.

Mrs. J. C. Younkin has returned from a visit with her daughter Etha Younkin and Mrs. Joseph Rodgers at Pittsburgh.

Mrs. E. N. Tissue went to Connellsville yesterday to visit friends.

Horbert McClintock left yesterday for McKeesport to visit friends and try to obtain work.

E. VanSickel of Ursina was here yesterday enroute to West Newton to visit friends.

Mrs. H. L. Hostetter was a recent visitor with friends in Connellsville.

Mrs. G. W. Lenhart of Glenwood is a visitor here with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bergs.

Mrs. Hazel Shibley left yesterday for a visit with friends at Connellsville.

Our various merchants are enjoying a fine and prosperous Christmas at present.

Normalville

NORMALVILLE, Dec. 15.—Mr and Mrs. George Ritouron of Rogers Mill motored to Youngstown Sunday and took dinner with Mr and Mrs. Samuel Ritouron.

George McMillen was transacting business in Uniontown Tuesday.

JAMES DONALSON has been confined to his home with a slight attack of grippe.

Mrs. Riley McLean is spending a week with her parents, Mr and Mrs. John Lloyd of Scottdale.

Edward Conn has returned to his home in Uniontown after a short stay with his grandparents, Mr and Mrs. William Gallentine of White Bridge.

Mrs. Besse Ryan has returned to her home at Normalville after a visit with relatives and friends in Uniontown.

Very Likely.

"I met a bunch of children in the road," stated a motorist who had halted his car in front of the Lutzenberry home. "They were carrying pieces of coosed rope, wire and the like, and declared they were going to lasso alligators."

"My children!" proudly replied Leo Lutzenberry of Middle Creek. "Smart bunch of little cursers in seven states!"

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Metallic Fabrics Are Popular for Evening

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One finds this splendid fabric first mentioned in Exodus, 25:3: "And they did beat the gold into thin plates and cut it into wires to work it in the blue, and in the purple, and in the scarlet and in the fine linen with even cutting work."

Cloth of gold was worn profusely in England from the Thirteenth to the Sixteenth century, from the reign of Edward I to the time of Henry VIII.

Gold and silver fabrics, embroidery and broidery, as well as cloth of gold and of silver, glittered and sparkled wherever wealth could buy them. The men literally "outshone" the women for it is only within the last hundred years or so that women have been able to outdo the men in gaudy colors, feathers and lace.

So much money was spent for this fabric that many laws were passed for bidding the extravagant use of such goods, and practically prohibiting them to all but families of the nobility.

In the early weaving of gold cloth, flat strips of gold were generally wound around silk threads, although there were instances where it was made entirely of gold thread! But because the solid metallic filaments were difficult to handle, as well as being costly, cheaper materials were finally sought to supplant them.

Today the golden effect of nearly all cloth of gold is produced by being heavily interwoven with tin. It may have a warp of "metal threads" and a filling of silk.

A "metal thread" is practically always a cotton or linen thread about which is wound a thin strip of metal. Another method is to dip cotton or linen threads into a chemical mixture which impregnates them with just enough of a given metal to impart a fine, metallic sheen. This product is used chiefly in making embroideries and novelties.

Metal cloth, gold or silver, gives a rich and gorgeous effect, and when chosen for dresses particular pains must be exercised to have all across series worn with it, such as sleeves, capes and trimmings, corresponding in luxury and expense, looking All metallic fabrics tarnish very easily.

Earrings, Bright Beads,

Bracelets Are Fashion

Paisley Jewelry is a pretty fancy, now being shown. Earrings of this sort are each of them, a shower of glittering beads in the warm Paisley colors. There are also Paisley bracelets, which brighten a number gown.

Aquamarines are among the newer fashionable jewels. Agate is being made into earrings, and there are—for the woman who likes to be different—fantastic carvings of carved brown Chinese fruit seeds mounted in silver.

Jet jewelry is deservedly popular this season because of the distinction it imparts to any costume. Earrings, necklaces, bracelets, etc., can all be had in this fascinating costume jewelry.

Never were bracelets more popular and their appeal extends to practically all types of women this season. Love bracelets of Jade with carved dragons are sure to delight the heart of the discriminating particularly when the Jade is red.

And now it is the bracelet which perfectly matches the necklace. Beads strung on thin wire in three strands form the fashionable armlet of the moment, which is usually worn on the upper arm.

In Chinese Blue.

Chinese blue embroidered blouses are delightfully new and becoming. The embroiderers are in colored and metal threads and the designs are lovely.

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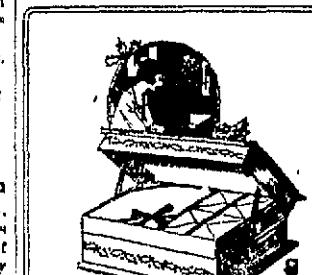
A small boy was brought by his father to Washington and taken to visit congress.

He was much interested in the chaplain, who always opened the sessions with prayer. Both in the senate and the house he had observed this procedure.

Finally he asked: "Papa, why does the minister come in every day and pray for congress?"

"You've got it all wrong, son," replied his father. "The minister comes in every day looks over congress, and has pray for the country."

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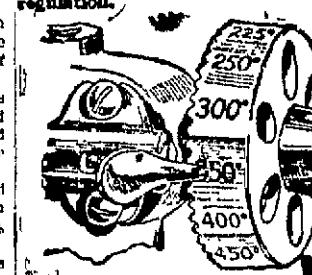
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